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ON THE ROLL OF HONOR

Effort being made to Compile Complete List of Names of Men From Alexandria in Army and Navy.

The Home Service Committee of the local chapter of the American Red Cross is endeavoring to compile a complete list of all men in the service, both army and navy, other than commissioned officers, who have enlisted or have been drafted from Alexandria.

The following list includes all the names they have been able to secure of men enlisted from Alexandria and those drafted through the Alexandria Draft Board. This list is known to be incomplete and is published for the purpose of having friends of those omitted furnish their names to Miss M. L. Whitall, 112 Rosemont Avenue, or Mr. J. T. Preston, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce.

It is their desire to have all Alexandrians in the service included in this roll for a permanent record, which will, no doubt, be very valuable in the future. If you have a relative or friend in the service who is not included in this list you should communicate with one of the above at once:

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OVER $120,000 RAISED

Finance Committee of George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association Makes Gratifying Report.

Perhaps no part of the program of yesterday's exercises of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, in session at the Masonic Temple in this city, was more gratifying than the encouraging report submitted by the finance committee which showed that over $120,000 has been paid over or pledged toward the erection of the memorial building.

For the purpose of insurmg more rapid advancement being made in the raising of funds, steps were taken to enlarge the work of the association so as to reach every city and county in the country, so to speak, and thus enlist members of the craft in all parts of the nation in the building of the memorial to the Father of our Country.

The presentation of the bronze bust to the association, the gift of the late General Thomas J. Shryock, was among the interesting features of last night's program, the address being delivered by Judge R. T. W. Duke, of Charlottesville, Va.

Another business session was held at nine o'clock this morning and continued until the luncheon hour arrived at half-past one. At half-past two o'clock this afternoon the annual pilgrimage was made to Mount Vernon, where a wreath was placed on Washington's tomb. This evening at half past 8 o'clock will occur the annual celebration of the birthday of Washington by Alexandria Washington lodge. The exercises will be held in the Opera House.

Program.

Worshipful Claude William Fletcher, Master, Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22, A. F. and A. M. presiding.

Invocation, Rev. Brother James Michael Nourse, Chaplain.

Singing of "America" by assemblage.

Address—Most Wor. Ernest L. Cunningham, Grand Master of Masons in Virginia.

Vocal Selections—'Tis Thy Wedding Morning" (From the Rose Maiden) Cowan.

Address—Hon. Charles A. Towne, of New York.

Vocal Selection—(a) "A Bowl of Roses," Clarke; (b), "The Lost Chord," Sullivan.

Address—Hon. Key Pitman, Senator from Nevada.

Vocal Selection—"What from Vengeance" (Sextet from Lucia) Donizetti.

Address—Hon. Oscar Underwood, Senator from Alabama.

Singing—"The Star Spangled Banner," by assemblage.

Benediction— Rev. John Lee Allison, chaplain.

Vocal Selections, Bro. Sherman B. Fowler, director; Mrs. Robt. F. Downham, soprano; Mrs. Edw. F. Whitman, soprano; Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler, alto; Mrs. Geo. E. Warfield, alto; Bro. Kenneth W. Ogden, tenor; Mr. Edw. F. Whitman, tenor; Bro. Wilmer J. Waller, bass; Mr. John T. Luckett, bass.

Marguerite Clark in "Miss George Washington."

The mention of the name of Geo. Washington probably recalls more vividly to mind the cherry tree incident than the fact that he was the savior of his country, so thoroughly has that story been instilled into the minds of the youth of the country. Therefore the announcement that Marguerite Clark is to be starred by the Famous Players in their Paramount Picture "Miss George Washington," which is the attraction at the Richmond tonight, conjures up one of two pictures—a girl who cannot tell a lie, or a girl who cannot tell the truth. In this case the producers have chosen to parody the name and the story deals with one of the most accomplished little fibbers and mischief makers that one could imagine. Before the story closes, everybody is deceiving everybody else and there is scarcely a reputation that is not torn to shreds. But it is all in good fun, and it all turns out for the best..

Oysters and Clams.

Just received a supply of Norfolk oysters and clams. Jacob Brill, foot of King street. 44-3t

Alexandria City and Suburbs

An entertainment was given last night by the Jefferson branch of the Alexandria Red Cross in the Mount Vernon Avenue school building.

"I have been keeping a record of the weather on February 22d for the past fifteen years and there has not been an entirely pleasant day on that day of the month in the whole period," remarked Robert P. Garnett as he came into the Gazette office this morning from the snow storm outside.

A branch of the Red Cross was organized yesterday afternoon at St. Mary's Academy, with a membership of 200. Mrs. George T. Klipstein delivered an address and a special Red Cross program was given by the scholars, who have already made a number of Red Cross articles for the soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall V. Butler, of 609 Chamberlayne Avenue, Ginter Park, entertained at dinner last Sunday in honor of Miss Helena E. Greene, of Alexandria, who was their guests for the week-end, and Captain Reuben Hallis Fleet, of the Junior military aviation corps, Washington.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Officers Reid and Talbot went to New Alexandria this afternoon for the purpose of arresting a youth named John Levinus, who is charged with stealing tools from the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company. The officers took a youth named Robert W. Ford with them to identify the alleged thief and after arresting Levinus the officers boarded an electric train with their prisoner when a young man named Gardner L. Arnold, living at New Alexandria, jumped upon the train and assaulted Ford. The officers took Arnold in charge and he was arraigned before the Police Court as soon as they arrived here and fined $10.

Friends of Mrs. A. J. Ross will be pleased to learn that she has returned from the Alexandria hospital to her home at 211 North Patrick street.

Richard, the little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Bayliss, who reside in the town of Potomac, Alexandria county, died this morning.

Sidney Lewis, colored, was arrested last night by Officer Kerns for being drunk on the streets. He was fined $5 in the Police Court this morning. This was the only case on the docket.

The question as to which is the oldest business concern in Alexandria was asked a representative of the Gazette yesterday. Will some one of the older residents of the city answer the question? The Gazette will be glad to publish the answer. The publication of the Gazette was begun in 1784. What establishment that is still doing business in the city started prior to that date?

"Is this cherry from the original tree which George Washington cut down?" asked a gentleman as he bought one from a young lady who was selling them on the street this morning for the benefit of the children's playgrounds. "Yes, sir, certainly, and they are the only ones that were left," replied the young miss. "Well, how did you manage to keep them so long?" was the next query. And even that question did not phase the young lady, who quickly came back with "Oh, they were some that George's mother had canned before he cut the tree down and the can was only discovered day before yesterday and sent up to Alexandria."

Today is supposed to be "cherry day" in Alexandria, but not many are being picked from the trees. Owing to the snow storm which visited the city the youngsters who were selling cherries on the streets for the benefit of the children's playgrounds did not find the work to be as enjoyable as it might have been.

The postoffice, city officers and banks were closed today in observance of Washington's birthday and the committee appointed by the Washington Birthday Association went down to Mount Vernon and placed a wreath on Washington's tomb. Quite a large number of tourists and visitors from the city of Washington passed through Alexandria during the day on their way to pay a visit to Mount Vernon.

Judging from the large number of army freight auto trucks to be seen passing through here daily a person might easily imagine Alexandria to be located in close proximity to the battle front "somewhere in France." From fifteen to twenty-five may be seen at various time throughout the day on their way from Washington to the military camps at Belvoir and Quantico. Some are loaded with workmen but most of them are used in transporting lumber and other materials for use at the camps.

"The General Judgment" was the subject of the sermon delivered by Rev. Father Cronin at the mission services at St. Mary's Catholic church last night. Father Cronin gave many reasons as to why there will be a general judgment which, among other things, he said, will be to vindicate God and Christ. Scenes that will be enacted on the last day, according to the Scriptures, were pictured, by the speaker. Rev. Father Fitzpatrick gave a short instruction on "Contrition for Sin" previous to the sermon. The services were largely attended.

Washington's Prayer for the Nation.

It is most appropriate that the following prayer by Washington, for the nation, should be published on the anniversary of his birth, especially in these days when the United States is standing up with her allies against the hosts of autocracy and tyranny for the great principles of true democracy and liberty throughout the world:

Almighty God: We make our earnest prayer that thou wilt keep the United States in they holy protection; that thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to government, and entertain a brotherly affection and love for one another and for their fellow citizens of the United States at large. And finally that thou wilt most graciously be pleased to dispose us all to do justice, to love mercy, and to demean ourselves with that charity, humility and pacific temper of mind, which were the characteristics of the Divine Author of our blessed religion, and without a humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy nation. Grant our supplication, we beseech thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

DEATH OF ADAM GOODE.

Old and Respected Resident of Manassas Passed Away.

Adam W. Goode died this week at the home of his son, William Goode, after an illness of several weeks at the age of 69 years.

Mr. Goode was born in Warren county, New Jersey, January 28, 1849, and came to Prince William county with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Goode, in the spring of the same year and has made this his home since.

The deceased is survived by his widow and one son, William Goode, two brothers and a sister, Mrs. Mary C. Bonner, of Alexandria.

—Manassas Democrat.

Death Notice.

Died, at 1017 Orónoco street, Alexandria, Va., Feb. 22, 1918, at 4 o'clock a. m., Mrs. Ann Dorsey, devoted mother of Robert A. Dorsey, and sister of Amanda Williams. Notice of funeral hereafter. (Washington, Newport News and Boston papers please copy.) 46-1t.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Sarah J., wife of John T. Langley, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, 318 north Royal street. Friends and relatives invited.

Our mother was sleeping for a week,
Moving her hands up to heaven,
Telling us where she was going.
When we moved her from one bed
to another she opened her bright
eyes and gave us a smile.
The golden gates were opened,
And a gentle voice said "Come,
Rest in peace with mother."
In heaven, God's happy home.

DEATH OF WILLIAM M. AYRE.

Deceased Was Formerly Collector for the Port of Alexandria.

William M. Ayre, former collector for the port of Alexandria, Va., and long a resident of the District of Columbia, died suddenly Tuesday at the home of his son, in that city, at the age of sixty-four years.

Mr. Ayre was born at Chantilly, Fairfax county, June 25, 1858. He is survived by his widow and three sons.

Mr. Ayre, when a young man, served as sheriff of Fairfax county, after which he was made collector of the port at Alexandria. After leaving that position he made his home in Washington and engaged in the hotel business there.

Washington-Virginia Railway Company Notice of Change in Schedule.

Effective Saturday February 23rd, cars will leave Alexandria and Washington every ten minutes from 6:00 a. m., to 8:40 a. m. Every twenty minutes from 8:40 a. m. to 1:20 p. m. Every ten minutes from 1:20 p. m. to 7:40 p. m. Every twenty minutes from 7:40 p. m. to 12:00 midnight from Alexandria and 12:40 a. m. from Washington. No change in cars leaving Alexandria from 5:00 a. m. to 6:00 a. m.

Cars leave Mt. Vernon 6:15, 7:30, 8:30, 9:35, a. m. and fifteen minutes after each hour until 11:15 p. m.

Cars leave Washington for Mt. Vernon 6:20, 7:20, 8:20, 9:20 a. m. and on the hour until 10.00 p. m. and 11:20 p. m.

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40,000 DESTITUTE.

Terrible Suffering Reported From Persia, Syria, Armenia and Turkey.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 22.—Cablegrams telling of terrible destitution in Turkey, Armenia, Persia and Syria have just been received by the Presbyterian board of foreign missions. Women are leaving their infants dead in many places.

Forty thousand persons are destitute in Teheran alone. Wherever dead animals are found they are eaten by the starving people. Appeals for help come from Constantinople, Tiflis, Teheran, Beirut, Tabriz and Jerusalem.

Have Insured a Million.

Washington, Feb. 22.—At the close of Wednesday, February 13, over 1,000,000 soldiers and sailors and Army and Navy nurses had applied for government insurance under the soldier and sailor insurance law. The amount of insurance applied for is more than $8,000,000,000. The maximum permitted to any person is $10,000, and the average applied for is $8,212. There are many applications mailed from distant points which have not yet reached the Treasury Department. The above figures are only of applications that have been actually received and granted.

The amount of government insurance in force is more than three times as much as the total ordinary life insurance in force with any life insurance company in the world.

Died in Georgia.

Mrs. Betty Truslow, wife of Frederick Truslow, died Wednesday at her home in Savannah, Ga. She was the mother of Mrs. W. L. Lipps, of this city. Mrs. Lipps reached the bedside of her mother a few hours before she expired.

Notice to the Public.

The drug stores of Alexandria will hereafter be open on Sundays from 11 o'clock a. m., to 1 o'clock p. m., and from 6 o'clock to 8 o'clock p. m., for the sale of medicines only during which time no deliveries will be made. 43-5t.

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CASH AND CARRY PLAN

Grocers in Wisconsin Compelled to Adopt New Rules for Sale of Goods.

By way of supporting the cash-and-carry plan, overcoming objections of consumers, Federal Food Administrator Magnus Swenson, of Wisconsin, has ordered grocers in Madison, that State, to charge 5 cents for each delivery and 3 per cent on all credit accounts. This is not optional with the grocer. He must make these charges, and when his customers remonstrate with him he is able to point to the order. In Louisville, Ky., one large retail concern has adopted the opposite plan of paying customers 5 cents in cash to take packages home, provided aggregate purchases amount to $1 or more. Customers get 5 cents refund on paying for goods in cash. On charge accounts a 5-cent tag is stamped by the cashier and handed back to the customer, who turns it in at face value to apply on the bill at settlement time. This plan, however, has been confined to basement sales of goods such as toys, china and glassware, where congestion is frequent and delivery breakage high.

CURB ON U-BOATS DEMANDED.

Spain Says Germany Must Respect Coastal Traffic and Waters.

Madrid, Feb. 22.—Three notes to the German government relative to the sinking of Spanish ships by submarines and the invasion of Spanish territorial waters by U-boats will be published, it has been decided by the Spanish government.

The first takes up the case of the Duca di Genova and demands that Spanish territorial waters be respected. The second, concerning the Giralda, demands German recognition of Spain's right to regulate her coastwise traffic without reserve. The third, concerning the Caferino, asks explanations thus far received officially in Berlin. The note relative to the Caferino has not yet been dispatched by the Spanish government, which is hourly expecting additional information.

FOUR KILLED.

Workmen on New Track to Hog Island Buried Under Wreckage.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 22.—Four workmen were killed yesterday when a two-hundred foot section of a trestle bridge collapsed beneath the weight of four cars loaded with dirt on the new railroad spur which the Pennsylvania Railroad is completing to the government shipbuilding plant at Hog Island. The accident occurred in the southwestern part of the city, where the new line crosses the tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway's Chester branch.

When the wooden framework of the bridge started to topple four cars being hauled by a locomotive parted from the engine and fell forty feet. The men killed, who were riding in the cars, were buried beneath tons of dirt and the wreckage of the trestle.

FACING FOOD SHORTAGE.

Hoover Says it is Likely to Continue During the Next Sixty Days.

The Eastern part of the United States faces a food shortage likely to continue for the next sixty days. In making this disclosure last night Food Administrator Hoover declared that the situation is the most critical in the country's history and that in many of the large consuming areas reserve food stores are at the point of exhaustion.

The whole blame is put by the food administrator on railroad congestion, which he says also has thrown the food administration far behind its program for feeding the allies. The only solution he sees, is a greatly increased rail movement of foodstuffs even to the exclusion of much other commerce.

Gave Away Bananas.

Eighteen thousand bunches of bananas arrived recently at Baltimore in over-ripe condition, edible but unsalable through regular channels of trade, having been delayed by ice in Chesapeake Bay. The fruit company owning them promptly turned the lot over to the Federal Food Administration of Maryland for distribution among the poor.

WOULD STAMP OUT VICE

Ministerial Union of Richmond considers Plan for Church Co-ordination.

Richmond, Feb. 22.—Under plans, which are now being considered by the Ministerial Union of Richmond, the entire Protestant religious forces of the city, together with people who are not regular communicants of a church, will be welded into a civic organization for Christian endeavor. The plans for such an organization under the supervision of the church follows upon the effort of the union to solve the serious problem of vice, especially in view of conditions at military centers in the state and in several of the larger cities. It is expected that the organization of the religious forces and the plans for operation will be along the same lines followed in the forming of the Federation of Christian churches in California, where all Protestant churches are co-ordinated in a general civic body. The tentative plans propose the appointment of a city secretary, who will direct the work of the civic body. At present the plans are in the hands of a special committee of the Ministerial Union. Further steps in the matter are not expected to be taken until the next meeting in March.

GERMANS PRESS ON.

Russian General and More Than 9,000 Other Prisoners Captured.

Berlin, Via London, Feb. 22.—The Russian town of Rovno has been cleared of the Russians, the War Office reports. Trains with about 1,000 cars, many laden with food, have been captured, as well as airplanes and an incalculable amount of war material. The War Office announces that 1,353 guns and between 4,000 and 5,000 motor cars have been captured from the Russians thus far in the new campaign. The Germans have made prisoner a general commanding an army, 425 officers and 8,700 men.

Between Dvinsk and Pinsk the Germans are pressing eastward. General von Linsingen's movement continues. Important railway and highway junctions have been occupied. The Germans have passed through Wenden, 55 miles northeast of Riga, and are now before Wolmar, 70 miles northeast of Riga. German regiments from Moon Island crossed Moon Sound and marched into Esthonia, occupying Leal. Other forces, advancing along the shore of the Gulf of Riga, reached Pernigal and Lemsal.

Washington, Feb. 22.—State Department officials said today that the renewed German offensive in Russia had not progressed to a point where the departure of Ambassador Francis and the Allied diplomats from Petrograd was being considered, and that so far as official reports showed the diplomats themselves were not considering leaving as yet.

Plain Dishes Preferred.

A record kept for a period of five years of the food sheets at the most fashionable hotel in New York City, says the Hotel Gazette, shows that 75 per cent of all the foods cooked and consumed were plain, simple dishes, served plainly, without ornamentation or garnishings. These are peace-time figures, from an era of unprecedented prosperity, and because they reflect the real preferences of people well able to pay for the best are taken as an indication that hotel men may now go far in securing teamwork from their patrons when it comes to war-time simplification of dishes and menus.

Special Tonight at the Elks' Auditorium.

The Empire Social Club has succeeded in obtaining the well known Nickolas "Jass Band" of Washington, D. C., for their regular Friday night dance at the Elks Hall, Prince and Royal streets. This famous troupe of musicians will make their initial appearance tonight and it will be well worth the small price asked in admission to hear them and enjoy dancing by their music. 46-1t

Notice of Meeting.

A very important meeting of all branches and auxiliaries of the Alexandria Chapter of American Red Cross will be held at the Chamber of Commerce on Monday evening, February 25, 1918, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Every member is urged to be present.

Ruth S. Williams, Secretary.
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IN MEMORY OF WASHINGTON.

Today marks the 186th anniversary of the birth of George Washington. No celebration has been planned to mark this memoraole event in Alexandria, Washington's home town, but this fact does not at all indicate that our people and those of Virginia wil lbe unmindful of the passing of the natal day of the greatest American and the first Virginian. February 22, 1918, will be noted throughout the State as a reminder of the sterner duties which war-time demands, and the name of him who the world knows as first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen, will be often recalled as in keeping with the spirit which is now abroad in America.

It is anticipated that the day will call to mind a renewing of the banners which were flung out almost a year ago at the time of the declaration of war against Germany, a nation of bullies, which would crush out the principles for which Washington fought.

It has been four years since Alexandrians participated in a public celebration on the 22d of February. It snowed on that occasion, but notwithstanding the elements there was a large turnout. Governor Stuart, it will be remembered, was with us upon that occasion.

While our people were engaged in celebrating the anniversary of the birth of the great American four years ago, Germany was preparing for plunging the world into the bloodiest struggle that has probably occurred since man was placed upon the earth. Her war aims were apparent from the first. That country was bent upon saddling autocracy upon the civilized world. The democratic principles for which Washington fought have ever been obnoxious to the Teuton war lords. Those entrusted with the destiny of the United States knew then, as all know now, that American free institutions were about to be menaced, and that the time was drawing near when our country would be called upon to enter another war in order to maintain the principles handed down to us by an illustrious ancestry.

While the southeast wind was today wafting snow around the sarcophagus of George Washington at Mount Vernon the people of this country have had their eyes turned toward him who brought freedom to the New World, which the present generation is resolved to perpetuate.

PAN-GERMANS DENOUNCED.

Pan-Germans who "did what they could to make the war inevitable" are denounced by the Frankfurter Zeitung and are warned that their hour of reckoning is coming, in an article published in that newspaper.

Among other things the Zeitung says: "The army which enlisted at the beginning of the war has failed by a long way in numbers. Masses of me nhave had to be added to it and trained within a time far shorter than that which even we contemplated.

"It is impossible to say that the war was desired abroad, but it is not difficult to see what one is straining every nerve to bring about. Anybody who did not go about with his eyes shut knew that Germany, except for a small group, did not wish for war, but what the small group, just these Pan-Germans, could contribute towards making it inevitable, that they did.

"If we along with others have any reproach to make to ourselves it is that we did not more carefully watch the doings of such people. They were talkers whom one thought a nuisance, but did not take as seriously as the damage which they subsequently did proves that one ought to have done.

"The effect of Pan-German outbursts upon foreign public opinion was not considered at the time, but they alone can account for the flood of hate towards Germany which showed itself at the beginning of the war and which found the German public comparatively unprepared. We could not understand it and we asked ourselves how it was possible. Now we have found out.

"German people do not yet know the extent of the damage done to them by the Pan-Germans, but the hour of reckoning for them is coming."

THE NEW DRAFT.

All persons liable to army service under the second draft should read the conditions of this second call. The questionnaires which they have signed and returned recently give them a general idea as to their personal interest in the new enrollment that is expected to begin about May 1. Every man of the prescribed military age knows pretty well whether he has a good claim for exemption or not, but what no one can tell is whether his number will be called under this draft or whether he can pass the physical examination, no matter how desirous he may be to serve. As there are approximately 1,500,000 men in Class 1—the class that is to be summoned for examination under the draft of May 1—and as only about 500,000 will probably be required in the immediate future, only one man in three is likely to be drafted under this call, even if there were no exemptions or disabilities. But allowing for legal immunities and physical defects, the percentage which will be exempt will be somewhat larger.

The American army, at home and abroad, now numbers more than 1,600,000 men. That those in the cantonments are being sent across more and more rapidly is indicated by the fact that the War Department is almost ready to fix a certain date for the training of their successors. As the camps over here are emptied they will be filled with the new levies, and so on from time to time until we have persuaded Kaiserism to surrender.

THE JEWISH HOMELAND.

Every Jewish home in Washington will be canvassed for funds in a final drive, beginning next Sunday, to bring up to $25,000 the amount contributed by the District of Columbia toward the $1,000,000 fund for the re-establishment of Palestine as a Jewish homeland.

Already $17,000 has been raised for the fund and the goal has been set at $25,000 by the committee in charge of the campaign.

To procure recruits for the Jewish battalion which will soon be fighting near Palestine under the British flag, a mass-meeting was held this week in Philadelphia.

Announcement was made that already 80 unnaturalized youths of the Quaker City have enlisted with the battalion. The campaign will continue until the end of the month, and it is confidently believed more than 500 young men will be recruited. The battalion will be in charge of Jewish officers, and all the customs of their religion will be observed.

Miss Minnie Dyner, 18 years old, appealed to Colonel Steele to be permitted to join the battalion. She was told by the recruiting officer that she could probably serve in a hospital unit, and the girl agreed to go to Palestine in any capacity.

The mills of the gods grind slowly. Pious Hebrews have for centuries been moaning and praying outside the walls of Jerusalem for the fulfillment of the forecasts of their seers uttered twenty-five centuries ago of the re-establishment of the Kingdom of Judea, and many Bible students have, from the beginning of the present war, believed that one of the most interesting outcomes would be the return of the Jews to the land of their fathers.

The hisory of the Israelitish race is most interesting. Both the Old and New Testaments abound in prophecies of the re-establishment of the race in their own land. While wars and rumors of wars fill the earth, and nation is rising against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, Palestine is throwing off the yoke of the Turk.

The great bulk of the promises made to the descendants of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob remain to be fulfilled and we may be nearer the time than we imagine when the Wandering Jew will cease his long and weary plod and take his place in the City of the Great King.

AUSTRIAN SOCIALISTS.

Demand Direct Peace Negotiations With the United States.

Dispatches from Amsterdam say the Austrian socialists have convoked mass meetings to support their demand that direct peace negotiations shall be opened with the United States.

The Austrian emperor has warned the leaders of the different parliamentary parties that he will prorogue the reichsrath and govern the country by absolute methods if a majority is not secured for the provisional budget.

Wild scenes in the reichsrath Tuesday on the occasion of Premier von Seydler's speech are described in a Vienna dispatch to the Berlin Vossische Zeitung. The Czechs and Slavs, who at one point ostentatiously quitted the house, during the greater part of the premier's speech maintained a continuous din. There were shouts of "Lies!" "Treachery!" "Tell them that in Berlin!" and similar expressions.

The premier was audible only to those nearest to him.

Czerchs' protests are loud against the advance of the German troops in Russia.

The Poles are extremely dissatisfied with the Austrian government, and demand that the Ukrainian frontier shall be fixed at the River Bug and that Count Czernin, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, shall be dismissed.

The Austrian socialist party has submitted an interpellation to Premier von Seydler urging him to accept President Wilson's statement regarding the principles upon which a general peace can be discussed.

The socialists demand that the premier take steps immediately to open negotiations between Austro-Hungary and the United States.

CZECHS TURN ON HUNS.

Are Driven Desperate By German Frightfulness Against Small States.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—The same Hun frightfulness visited upon Belgium and Serbia has been practiced within the iron ring that surrounds the Central Powers.

Austria must make peace or she is lost, because three-fourths of her people are now arrayed against the Vienna Government.

The Monster of Brutality is devouring itself.

This is the word brought for the first time to America by Joseph Martineck, editor and Socialist, returned member of the American delegation sent to Russia to work for the independence of Bohemia.

"Austria," he says, "is today a seething mass of revolt as a result of German frightfulness practiced upon the peoples of the small nations within her borders. So open have become the mutterings in the State of Bohemia that a garrison of German soldiers is quartered in every town.

"The workers and the helpless poor, ruthlessly oppressed for so long, have grown tired and are rising against the awful conditions added by the war.

"Strikes are everywhere temporarily crushed by the iron hand of German brutality.

"Only last summer during the great strike of the munition workers in Bohemia the toilers were shot down in cold blood by German soldiers. Then four soldiers were placed on guard over every striker left and he was ordered back to work.

"Daszynski, Polish Deputy in the Vienna Parliament, charged that from thirty to sixty thousand Czechs have been victims of this German frightfulness.

"And it was admitted by the Vienna press, official organ of the Government, that two- thousand men of Bohemia have died on the gallows.

"So open has become the opposition to the Government in Bohemia that an 'inner blockade' is now being carried on by the Czechs or Bohemians, in refusing to send their grain into Germany.

"The struggle of Czechs is against Pan-Germanism, and in this struggle they are one with all those on this side and beyond the ocean who do not want to hear a word about German world dominion.

"In Russia today over 40,000 Czech prisoners, former soldiers in the Austrian army, are mobilized, drilled and armed to fight against Austria, with 30,000 more in reserve. Ten thousand also are in France on the western front."

FLOODS CLOSE MINES.

Bridges Washed Out Force Discontinuance of Operations.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 22.—The sudden rise in the streams due to rain yesterday and the thaw, carried away bridges and has temporarily put a number of coal companies out of business.

Six operations have shut down because of the washing out of a bridge near Listonburg, which connects with the Baltimore and Ohio at Confluence, and six have suspended because of the carrying away of a bridge on the Chaffee road, which connects with the Western Maryland at Vindex, Md. The water affected the production of the Upper Potomac field alone 3,000 tons.

C. J. Rowe and Company, coal operators at Barrellville, near Mount Savage, were affected. The Preston Railroad, a line operated by the Kendall Lumber Company, is out of commission with the coal and lumber operations on its route.

Crellin was flooded, water covering the first floors of many homes to the depth of three feet. At least 100 feet of side track on the Baltimore and Ohio was undermined at Piedmont by the Potomac, which went up eight feet in six hours, and the connection between the Baltimore and Ohio and Western Maryland at that point was damaged. Back street, in Piedmont, was inundated. The tracks of the Western Maryland Railroad at Blain were covered with water and the Elk Garden Branch was tied up.

A flood swept down Railroad street in Lonaconing, covering the Cumberland and Pennsylvania tracks, due to the clogging of Jackson Run. The sudden drop in temperature last night prevented more serious conditions.

Thermometers registered four degrees above zero at some points.

VAST RESERVE ARMY.

America Will Have Two and a Half Million Fit Men for Service.

Nearly 2,500,000 perfectly fit men will form America's first line of draft reserves, Provost Marshal General Crowder's office estimates. This represents the approximate number of draft registrants of class one that will be found fit for military duty as a result of the questionnaire system. It is about 500,000 more than the original estimates of General Crowder.

Although exact figures are not yet available, officials stated the total number of class one men will be approximately 3,116,000. The per centage of physical disqualification is estimated at not more than 20 per cent and probably less, because of the recent lowering of physical requirements. The 20 per cent would mean that about 620,000 would be rejected, thus bringing the number of available men to 2,496,000.

In classes four and two about 4,000,000 have been placed, practically equal numbers being in each division, these classes are largely made up of married men and those with dependents. Class five will have a million men because those physically rejected from class one will be classed there. About 750,000 will be found in class three.

SINGS "WATCH ON RHINE."

Man Who Says "Kaiser Will Soon Be King of World" Beaten and Arrested.

Ashland, Ky., Feb. 22.—When Dr. John H. Keese yesterday declared on a street car that "the Kaiser would soon be king of the world—it is useless to oppose him," and then began singing "The Watch on the Rhine," he did not get any further than the first verse. The other passengers objected so strenuously that Dr. Keese was soon a patient for a brother practitioner. He also was arrested and held for the Federal grand jury.

ENLISTS WITH TWO BOYS.

Third Son in Army, So Father Decides to Keep Family Together.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 22.—Declaring he wished to keep his family together, Charles E. Doran, of Milan, Tenn., and his two sons, Charles E. Doran, jr., and Donald D. Doran, came to Camp Jackson yesterday and enlisted in the 317th field artillery.

They chose Camp Jackson because William E. Doran, another son of C. E. Doran, was already in camp here.

ENTOMBED IN MINE.

Little Hope That Men Can Be Rescued From Michigan Shaft.

Crystal Falls, Mich., Feb. 22.—Of fourteen men trapped in the Amasa Porter mine, near here, yesterday afternoon, when the surface caved in, only three had been rescued last night. Efforts are being made to reach the others, but little hope is held they can be brought out alive.

The mine is owned by the Judson Mining Company, with headquarters in Chicago.

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To our regular and new customers, we offer for Saturday and this coming week special prices on our entire stock. Matting rugs 9 x12 $4.50, grass rugs 9x12 $9.25, grass rugs 10x3 $2.60, grass rugs 15x3 $3.50, good mattresses at $5.00, bed blankets at $3.25, Congoleum rugs 6x9 $4.90, Congoleum 2 yds. wide 98c, congoleum 1 yd. wide 49c, Congoleum rugs 3x6 $1.10, other fine rugs 3x6 $1.50. We also carry an immense stock of men's and boys' suits, pants and overcoats. Furnishings of all descriptions and at very reasonable prices. We have shoes for men, ladies and children in any style. Round extension tables and all kinds of other furniture at the lowest prices possible. Give us a call.

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LOST—A gold, carved bracelet, Friday evening on King street between Fairfax and Columbus. Finder please return to 508 King street and receive reward. 44-3t

WANTED BOARDERS—Nice furnished rooms with good board for men only. Apply to 602 Cameron street. 44-3t.

WANTED—Bright Young Lady as stenographer and typewriter in an active real estate office in Alexandria. Make application in your own handwriting and state salary expected. Address Real Estate Agent, care of Gazette Office. 44-6t.

LOST—Bunch of keys, at Potomac Yards, between machine shop and planing mill. Finder please return to Master Mechanic's office at Potomac Yard or T. T. Allen, 215 north Alfred street, and receive reward. 44-3t.

WANTED—Woman who can cook and do housework; good pay and good position. References required. Apply at 103 Rosemont avenue, Rosemont. 44-3t.

IN ROSEMONT OR VICINITY—Wanted to rent, small modern bungalow, or floor of house. Preferably unfurnished. Reasonable rent. Young couple with ten months' old baby. Address Clifford, III Willard Courts, Washington, D. C. 43-3t.

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OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED—Don't matter if broken. I pay $2 to $15 per set. Also cash for old gold, silver, and broken jewelry. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. Will hold goods 10 days for senders approval of my offer. L. Mazer-2007 south 5th street, Phila. Pa.

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Notice.

Having qualified as executrix of John Penn, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with me, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment.

Mrs. Annie Penn,
1224 Prince Street, Alexandria, Va.
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Special Meeting.

Pursuant to due resolution of the Board of Directors a special meeting of the stockholders of Williams Belmont and Company, Inc., will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on the 23rd day of February, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon of that day to consider a proposed amendment to Article IV of the Charter of the corporation to provide for an increase in the capital stock from $480,000 to $750,000, by the authorization of 27,000 additional shares of Common Stock at $10 par value each, and to consider any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

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GET FIFTY-FOUR HUN PLANES.

British Holding Advantage in Continuous Fighting Above the Battle Lines.

By William Philip Simms.

With the British Armies in the Field, Feb. 22.—Calvary has been successfully and extremely busy during the past few gorgeous days in the high freezing, sun-filled heavens.

Hindenburg's aerial Uhlans are attempting to hold off Haig's cloud-hurdling lancers, which are daily observing preparation for the German offensive

Thirty-five German warplanes have been destroyed in the last three days and nineteen driven earthward, uncontrolled—a total of 54 "quietused" by the Britishers, of whom only ten are missing, despite the severest and almost unending fighting, day and night.

While Hindenburg and Ludendorff are poring over the details of their impending forlorn hope, the air is filled with the throbbing of motors, the faint patter of machine guns and the thunder of air bombs exploding in towns and villages behind the firing lines.

The British airmen have dropped huge quantities of explosives on billets, ammunition dumps, railway stations and aerdromes in Northern France. They attacked enemy quarters from just above the roofs, machine gunned marching columns, disrupted transport trains and wrecked big-gun pits. The fine, freezing weather has aided them greatly.

Meantime British troops are busy raiding and repulsing raids. Short, sharp clashes are constantly occurring on the frozen earth of No Man's Land. The ice in shell holes is sufficiently strong to hold the death-grappling men.

The Britisher are in fine fettle, not nervous, and ready whenever Hindenburg starts. While this may happen any day, the Germans may try to surprise the Allies by a sudden shift, or may attempt to produce a state of "nerves" by further delay.

PORT DEPOSIT IN PANIC.

Ice Gorge at McCall Ferry Dam Breaks and Threatens to Flood City

Port Deposit, Md., Feb. 22.—Ice conditions here again have assumed threatening proportions. A huge ice gorge, which broke from the McCall Ferry dam shortly after 6 o'clock, is sweeping down the Susquehanna river. Residents here, in fear of disastrous flood, are moving to high places and the railroad companies are moving cars out of Port Deposit to Perryville.

Eight feet of water pouring over the McCall ferry dam broke the gorge and all the ice packs between the ferry and Harrisburg are believed to be moving on the city in 10 feet of water, Approximately 500 feet of channel has opened up on the Susquehanna on the east side and it is hoped this will allow the gorge to sweep through. The river has raised about two feet, throwing the city in panic.

Three feet of water covered the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks at Safe Harbor, Pa., about seven miles above McCall Ferry dam. There the ice gorge is approximately six miles long.

Jams 15 feet high formed for miles north of McCall Ferry last week, being the largest in 10 years. Outside Port Deposit cakes of ice were piled 20 feet high.

GERMANS CAN'T PASS.

Foe May Bend Line, But He Can't Break it, Declares Maj.-Gen. H. A. Greene.

New York, Feb. 22.—"The Germans may bend our line in some places, but they can never break it." was the message brought back to America today by Maj.-Gen. H. A. Greene, commanding the National Army division at Camp Lewis, Washington.

"The British will stop any drive at them by the trained armies of the French," he said. "As for the Americans, it [illegible] without saying they will bring to a halt any thrust made made against them and so will the enemy."

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Compound Lard	26c	Pure Lard	30c
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No. 3 Standard Tomatoes, can	16c	Crisco, pound can	30c
Spinach, can	25c	Shriver canned peas, 2 for	25c
Sauer Kraut, can	15c	Shriver canned corn, 2 for	25c
Asparagus Tips, DelMonte brand,	25c	Sweet Potatoes, can	19c
Shredded Wheat	12c	Cream Wheat	22c
Herring Roe	22c	Purity Oats	09c
Burnham & Morrell fish flakes	14c	Pinto Beans	14c
		Uneeda Biscuits, pkg.	06c

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NO TRUTH IN STORY,

Government Will Not Seize Preserves in Homes of the People.

"The government has no intention of ever taking an ounce of the home-made preserves or of homegrown products kept in the pantry or cellar. Any one who tells you otherwise is working for the enemy, either intentionally or unintentionally."

This statement is sent out by the United States Food Administration, over the signature of Dr. Vernon Kellogg. It is in answer to German propaganda which has spread from one end of the country to the other. In its most common form, the story has been that any housewife who had more than a hundred jars of canned vegetables, fruits or preserves was in danger of having the surplus seized by the government. The propaganda last season caused thousands of women to place a limit on their home canning.

Another assurance given in Dr. Kellogg's statement is: "Don't hoard food for the government will keep in this country enough of every essential kind of foodstuffs to supply all the people."

I. W. W. PLOT ON COAST.

Plan Destruction of Munition Works, Granaries, Live Stock and Crops, According to Confession.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—A coast-wise conspiracy of Germans and I. W. W.'s to create a reign of destruction against munition works, granaries, live stock and even against innocent citizens, was revealed at Susanville, Cal., yesterday, in the confession of Fritz Hagerman alias Charles Aisenbach, arrested for complicity in the scheme.

Wells and reservoirs were to be poisoned, cattle and sheep were to be killed by the wholesale, and crops of Washington, Oregon and California were to be burned as part of the campaign of arson and sabotage.

Hagerman confessed that he had participated in the recent attempt to burn the plant of the Red River Lumber Company as Westwood, Cal., a $1,000,000 concern, and when arrested was on his way back to Westwood to fire the plant the second time.

FIVE YEARS' SENTENCE.

Virginian Convicted of Desertion and Abandoning of Guard Post in War Time.

Camp Lee, Feb. 22.—Two men, one a Virginian and the other a Pennsylvanian, were sentenced by court-martial yesterday to five years at hard labor for desertion. Unless the War Department should reverse the sentence, Private Orben Burchett, Company A, Three Hundred and Fourteenth Machine Gun Battalion, of Eggleston, Va., and Private Walter L. Shindledecker, of Connellsville, Pa., a member of Company I, Three Hundred and Nineteenth Infantry, will spend the next sixty months at the disciplinary barracks at Fort Jay, N. Y.

SAVINGS ON MEATLESS DAYS.

Food Administration Announces that Results Have Been Very Gratifying

Yes, it has paid to have "meatless days." Meatless days in the United States have saved 140,000,000 pounds of beef in four months, the food administration announced today. During this period 165,000,000 pounds of beef were exported to the allies, together with 400,000,000 pounds of pork products.

The figures were made public in a statement explaining why the food administration refused requests of cattle and sheep growers to remove beef, mutton and lamb from the conservation rules with regard to meatless day. The administration again declared that meatless day was established for the purpose of enabling the United States to feed the allies by saving on meat consumption.

The announcement concludes: "If the many people who have assisted us in the accumulation of exportable stocks of meat products during the last three months could receive the expressions of gratitude with which these shipments are now being received in Europe among the allies, they would feel amply rewarded for the sacrifices."

GARBED AS WOMAN.

Shenandoah Youth, Deserter From Camp Lee, Arrested at His Home in Mountains.

Woodstock, Va., Feb. 22.—Samuel Campbell, one of the five Shenandoah County boys in training at Camp Lee, and who are advertised as deserters from the National Army, was captured Wednesday at his parents' home near Mount Jackson. Campbell obtained a furlough early in December and has since failed to report. He had been in his mountain home for some weeks garbed as a woman. He was brought by officers to Woodstock, and is in the county jail awaiting instructions from the authorities at Camp Lee.

LARCENY IS CHARGED.

Norfolk Man Lodges Suit Against State Prohibition Attorney.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 22.—Guy T. Horner, legal counsel for the office of the state prohibition commissioner, is one of several prohibition officials named as defendants to criminal warrants sworn out by A. G. Backus, who charges Horner and the other officers with the larceny of a diamond ring, valued at $700. Backus was arrested Wednesday in Norfolk, for the second time, on the charge of violating the prohibition law. Details of the charges brought by Backus have not been disclosed. Backus alleges that the ring was taken by the raiding officers when he was last placed under arrest.

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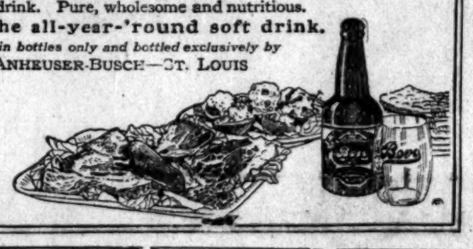

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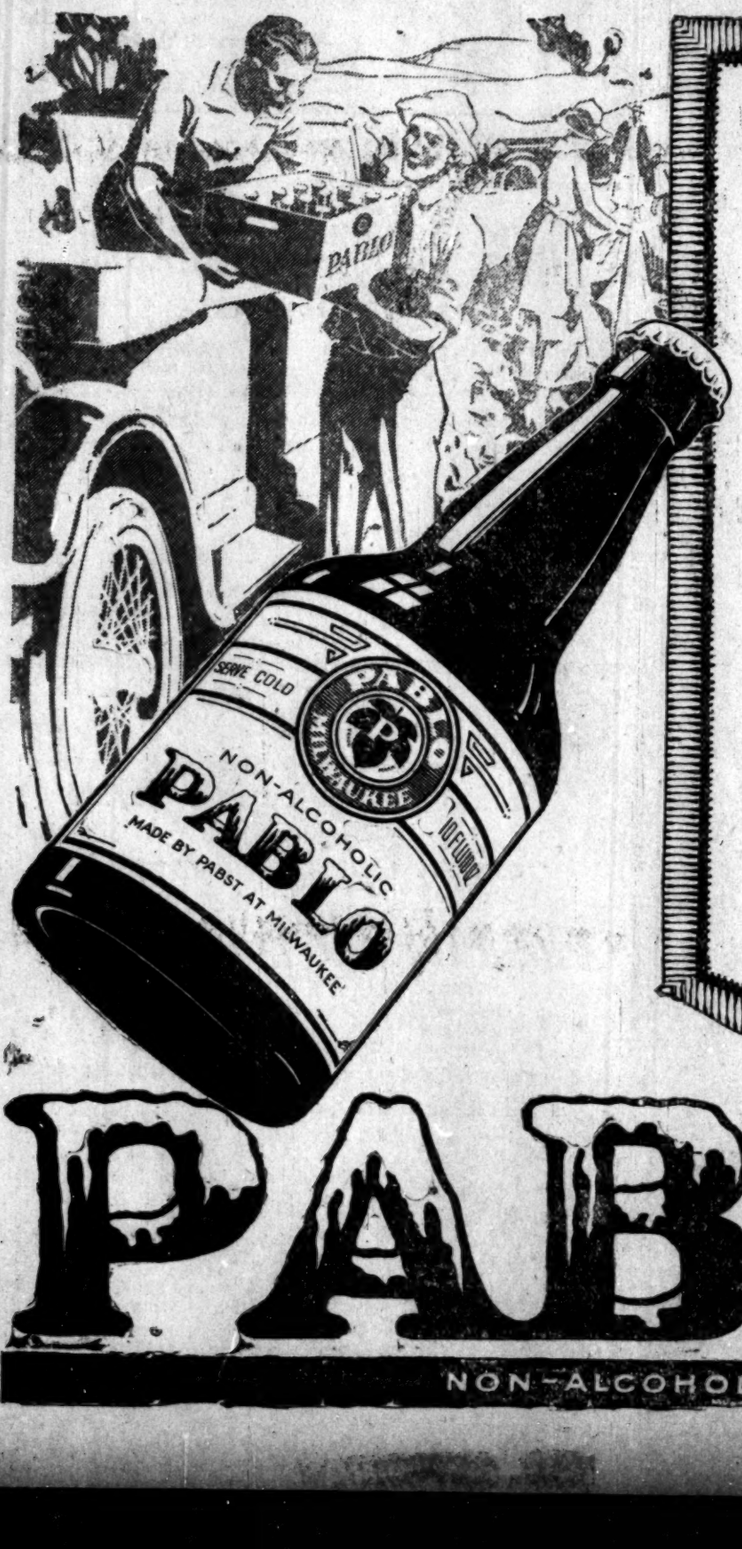

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